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FABRICATING SAME

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL FORM

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §§1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- A verified statement to establish small entity under 37 C.F.R. §§1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- [X] No additional fee is required.

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

This Amendment is submitted in response to the March 27, 2004 Office Action issued by the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified application. A response to the March 27, 2004 Office Action is due on June 27, 2004. Therefore, this Amendment is being timely filed.

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